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BRITISH IN INDIA!

Relief of Garrison at Chitral, who were Besieged.

Terrific Hail Storm Damages Crops in Portions of Texas.

Bastardly Outrage on a Little Girl in Kansas.

NEGRO DESPERADO SHOT AND KILLED.

Calcutta, April 25.—A dispatch from Simla announces the contents of the diary of Dr. Robertson, British political agent at Chitral, who was besieged in the fort there and relieved Saturday last by a flying column commanded by Col. Kelly, which rec'd Chitral from Gilgit after accomplishing a brilliant military achievement in driving over the snow-covered Sondar pass, 12,000 to 14,000 feet above the level of the sea, has been received there. He says that March 1 the British garrison made a reconnaissance in force and lost 22 officers and men killed and had 31 wounded. The siege proper began March 1. On the 8th day the enemy tried to set fire to the water-tower, and on the 14th the besiegers attacked the east side of the fort but were repulsed. The tribesmen occupied a summer house about fifty yards from the tower, and on April 15 advanced a range or stone breastwork to within forty yards of the main gate of the fort. On April 7 the enemy fired the tower. While the garrison was fighting the flames, Dr. Robertson was wounded and several of the British force killed or wounded. The enemy attempted to fire the citadel April 8, and on the 11th the fort was attacked on all sides. The garrison made a sortie on April 17, recaptured the summer house and blew up the enemy's mine. The British loss in the sortie was eight killed and thirteen wounded. The enemy lost sixty killed, of whom thirty-five were bayoneted by troopers engaged in the sortie. On April 19 the siege was raised. The garrison made a sortie on April 17, recaptured the summer house and blew up the enemy's mine. The British loss in the sortie was eight killed and thirteen wounded. The enemy lost sixty killed, of whom thirty-five were bayoneted by troopers engaged in the sortie. On April 19 the siege was raised.

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Train Robber Captured.
Selma, Mo., April 25.—Word has been received that Frank Hoffman, train robber and desperado, who has operated in central Missouri for the past few years, has been captured at Collins. He was recently surrounded and shot in a swamp but escaped.

Chicago Grain Market.
Chicago, April 25.—Wheat, April 25; May, 60. Corn, April 25; May, 47. Oats, April 25; May, 28.

Forest Fires.
Vineyard, N. J., April 25.—Forest fires are getting dangerously close to Vineyard. The fire has already taken hold.

Honey Market.
New York, April 25.—Money on call easy at 12 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 300 per cent.

Brigadier General.
Silver City, April 25.—Col. Z. R. Bliss, of Fort Bayard, N. M., was today appointed brigadier general.

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Silver and Lead.
New York, April 25.—Silver 67. Lead 42.50.

Frost Horses.
Secretary Crawford, of the Gentlemen's Driving Association, has all along advised that there would be fast horses at the spring meet, which takes place here on May 16 and continues three days, but was not exactly ready to give the date authentically to the public until today.

"We will have," remarked the genial manager of the harpoon of justice, one of the fastest trotters, pacers and runners in the country here in May. Andrew Smith has just returned from a trip to southern California, and while there met Mr. Sandusky, the famous breeder of thoroughbred horses. Mr. Sandusky informed Mr. Smith that Robert J., with a racing record of 2001, and several other celebrated horses would be here in time to participate in the spring races, while other owners of thoroughbreds, wintering in California, agreed to strike Albuquerque when the time of the races."

Freight Week.
Two flat cars, loaded with coal and part of the second section of freight train No. 21, flew the track in the vicinity of the Continental Coal Oil company's works, north of the city, last evening at 6:40 o'clock, and blocked the main track, preventing the moving of the north-bound and south-bound passenger trains until past midnight. Both cars were badly torn across the track, and before the obstruction could be removed, the cars again had to be turned over into the loop. A detective work team was the cause of the accident. Some of the passengers on the No. 3, held on the other side of the week, were brought to the city by Hackman, Oakley Clifford, who has his weather eye always open.

Another Irrigation Scheme.
Geo. Rich, H. Brewer, D. J. Shea, and Con. O'Keefe have located 1,500 acres of water, and are going to start with their ditch just south of W. A. Jordan's place and run through the divide by tunneling 350 feet and coming out at Jordan's place to section 16, 17 and 21. The ditch when completed will be one and one half miles long. The tunnel will be 40 ft. in size. Mr. O'Keefe says work will immediately commence and continued until completed. This ditch will reclaim large tract of good rich farmland land, and when the new railroad is built through the Verde valley the projectors and contractors of this ditch will be able to realize a large bonus over the expense of construction. Irrigable land with water rights will soon be very scarce at reasonable figures in Arizona. When the Verde valley becomes well known it will command equal value.

Many fruits can be raised in the Verde valley that do not thrive at all in the Salt River valley. Money and labor spent in reclaiming land in money and time well spent and will reimburse the projectors.

Jerome, A. T., Chronicle.
The open air concert last evening by the First Regiment band was highly appreciated, and they are becoming popular.

Cyrus McDonald, of San Rafael; Chas. Parton, of Allerton, and C. W. Carpenter, of Rio Puerco, are in the city.

Big Robbers.
Mifflintown, Pa., April 25.—Early this morning the store of Noah Hertzler, at Port Royal, was robbed of stocks, bonds and cash amounting to about \$35,000. The safe was blown open.

Jim Beach Kick.
St. Joseph, Mo., April 25.—James T. Beach, late republican candidate for circuit clerk to-day filed information for writ of quo warranto against John T. Chestnut, the present circuit clerk, under

the corrupt practices set up in 1893. It is the first case brought under that act Beach charges Chestnut with having spent more money in the canvass than allowed by law.

Arkansas Assassins.
Clark, Ala., April 25.—News comes from Gilley's Head, Dale county, that Bill Hollings, a well-to-do farmer, was drawn out of his house last night by seeing his stable on fire. Several loads of shot were fired into his body by unknown persons, and he died this morning. The shooting is supposed to have been the result of his giving information to federal officers as to wild cat stills.

Destructive Fire.
Lakewood, N. J., April 25.—A forest fire which originated from the burning of driftwood in a hotel in the cedar about a mile from this place, continues to burn fiercely this afternoon. It is estimated that \$75,000 worth of property has already been destroyed, and 2,000 acres of timber is already burned over.

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THE RAILROADS.

What is Being Done on all the Western Lines.

Three train loads of cattle passed north last night.

The Southern Pacific fast train, known as the Sunset limited, have been discontinued.

The *Palo Alto* papers are devoting a great deal of space to the proposed White Oaks railroad.

C. R. Van Rossem, of the Atlantic & Pacific water service, came in from the west this morning.

GALLUP AND GIBSON.

Local News from the Coal Mining Towns.

Gallup, April 22.—V. P. Edie, buyer for Primos & Co., Trinidad, rested at the Laclede, and is now at Holbrook in search of wood at lowest prices.

KANSAS REPUBLICANS FOR FREE SILVER.

The Supreme Court Will Review Points in the Income Tax Law.

Why Was It

that America spent out of the greatest number of similar preparations manufactured throughout the world was the only nation to be admitted at the World's Fair? And why was it that, in spite of the united efforts of the manufacturers of other preparations, the division of the World's Fair Directors was not reversed?

BECAUSE

According to the *Review of Articles* that are in any way dangerous or offensive, also patent medicines, nostrums, and empirical preparations, whose ingredients are concealed will be admitted to the Exposition.

But the *Review* is not a review of all articles.

It is a review of something to be done, something to be done here.

Mississippi, according to the *Review*, is to be admitted to the exposition.

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